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The House met at 10 a.m.

The Chaplain, the Reverend James David Ford, D.D., offered the following prayer:

We confess, O gracious God, that we sometimes use prayer as a cover to plead our own case instead of listening to Your still small voice calling for repentance.

We confess that we offer our petitions to You before we offer our thanksgivings for the gifts that we have already received.

We confess, O God, that we diminish our prayers when we ask You to do what we should do for ourselves. Help us, eternal God, to see through our own agendas and become filled with the majesty and wonder and grace of Your abiding love to us and to all people.

This is our earnest prayer. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. CROWLEY. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. CROWLEY. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently, a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 362, nays 37, answered "present" 1, not voting 35, as follows:

[Roll No. 11]			YEAS—362		
Abercrombie	Cook	Green (TX)	LaTourette	Owens	Simpson
Ackerman	Cox	Green (WI)	Lazio	Oxley	Sisisky
Allen	Coyne	Greenwood	Leach	Packard	Skeen
Andrews	Cramer	Gutierrez	Lee	Pallone	Skelton
Archer	Cubin	Hall (TX)	Levin	Pascarell	Slaughter
Armey	Cunningham	Hansen	Lewis (CA)	Pastor	Smith (MI)
Baca	Davis (FL)	Hastert	Lewis (GA)	Paul	Smith (NJ)
Bachus	Davis (IL)	Hastings (FL)	Lewis (KY)	Payne	Smith (TX)
Baker	Davis (VA)	Hastings (WA)	Linder	Pease	Smith (WA)
Baldacci	Deal	Hayes	Lowey	Pelosi	Snyder
Baldwin	DeGette	Hayworth	Lucas (KY)	Peterson (PA)	Souder
Ballenger	DeLauro	Heger	Lucas (OK)	Petri	Spence
Barcia	DeLay	Hill (IN)	Luther	Phelps	Spratt
Barr	DeMint	Hilleary	Maloney (CT)	Pickering	Stabenow
Barrett (NE)	Deutsch	Hinchey	Maloney (NY)	Pitts	Stark
Barrett (WI)	Dick	Hobson	Manzullo	Pombo	Stearns
Bartlett	Dicks	Hoefel	Markey	Pomeroy	Stenholm
Bass	Dixon	Hoekstra	Martinez	Porter	Stump
Bateman	Doggett	Holt	Mascara	Portman	Sununu
Becerra	Dooley	Hooley	Matsui	Price (NC)	Tanner
Bentsen	Doolittle	Horn	McCarthy (MO)	Pryce (OH)	Tauscher
Bereuter	Doyle	Hostettler	McCarthy (NY)	Quinn	Tauzin
Berkley	Dreier	Houghton	McGovern	Rahall	Taylor (MS)
Berman	Duncan	Hoyer	McHugh	Rangel	Terry
Biggert	Dunn	Hulshof	McInnis	Regula	Thomas
Bilbray	Edwards	Hunter	McIntosh	Reyes	Thornberry
Bilirakis	Ehlers	Hutchinson	McIntyre	Reynolds	Thune
Bishop	Ehrlich	Hyde	McKeon	Riley	Thurman
Blagojevich	Emerson	Inslee	McKinney	Rivers	Tiahrt
Blumenauer	Engel	Isakson	McNulty	Rodriguez	Tierney
Boehner	Eshoo	Istook	Meehan	Roemer	Toomey
Bonilla	Etheridge	Jackson (IL)	Meek (FL)	Rogers	Towns
Bonior	Evans	Jackson-Lee	Meeks (NY)	Rohrabacher	Trafficant
Bono	Ewing	(TX)	Menendez	Ros-Lehtinen	Turner
Bowwell	Farr	Jenkins	Metcalfe	Roukema	Udall (CO)
Boucher	Fattah	Johnson (CT)	Mica	Roybal-Allard	Upton
Boyd	Fletcher	Johnson, E. B.	Millender-McDonald	Royce	Velazquez
Brady (TX)	Forbes	Johnson, Sam	Miller (FL)	Rush	Walden
Brown (FL)	Ford	Jones (NC)	Miller, Gary	Ryan (WI)	Walsh
Bryant	Fowler	Jones (OH)	Minge	Ryun (KS)	Wamp
Burr	Frank (MA)	Kanjorski	Mink	Salmon	Waters
Buyer	Franks (NJ)	Kaptur	Moakley	Sanchez	Watkins
Callahan	Frelinghuysen	Kelly	Mollohan	Sanders	Watt (NC)
Calvert	Frost	Kennedy	Moran (KS)	Sandlin	Watts (OK)
Camp	Gallegly	Kildee	Moran (VA)	Sawyer	Waxman
Campbell	Ganske	Kilpatrick	Morella	Saxton	Weiner
Canady	Gejdenson	Kind (WI)	Murtha	Scarborough	Weldon (FL)
Cannon	Gekas	King (NY)	Nadler	Schakowsky	Weldon (PA)
Capuano	Gephardt	Kingston	Napolitano	Scott	Wexler
Cardin	Gilchrist	Kleczka	Neal	Sensenbrenner	Weygand
Carson	Gillmor	Knollenberg	Nethercutt	Serrano	Whitfield
Castle	Gilman	Kolbe	Ney	Sessions	Wicker
Chabot	Gonzalez	Kuykendall	Northup	Shadeegg	Wilson
Chambliss	Goode	LaFalce	Norwood	Shaw	Wolf
Clayton	Goodlatte	LaHood	Nussle	Shays	Woolsey
Clement	Goodling	Lampson	Obey	Sherman	Wynn
Coble	Gordon	Lantos	Olver	Sherwood	Young (AK)
Collins	Goss	Largent	Ortiz	Shimkus	Young (FL)
Combest	Granger	Larson	Ose	Shows	
Condit		Latham		Shuster	
Conyers					

NAYS—37

Aderholt	Borski	Coburn
Baird	Brady (PA)	Costello
Bliley	Clyburn	Crane

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